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SECTORS: Energy, Mining and Commodities, Oil and Gas, Power

SERVICES: Mergers and Acquisitions, Corporate and M&A

BIO

LUCA IS A PARTNER IN THE CORPORATE GROUP.

Luca has significant experience on high profile acquisitions, capital raising, joint ventures and restructuring. He regularly advises on international public and private law and on commercial contracts for the development, construction and operation of large energy & infrastructure projects.

Internationally focussed, he has led to success many transactions in Italy and abroad for the benefit of sophisticated private, institutional and government players.

Luca assists clients on contractual arrangements and multiple legal settings, from structuring to negotiation and closing up to the handling of complex disputes.

He has published books on business and civil law and often writes articles and contributions on energy & infrastructure.

In 2023, Legal500 EMEA recognised him as "Key Lawyer" in the Energy sector.

In addition to Italian, Luca speaks English and Spanish.

EXPERIENCE

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Advised Copenhagen Infrastructure Partners in its partnership with GreenIT S.p.A. on an agreement to develop three offshore wind projects in Italy's Lazio and Sardinia regions. The projects will be located on average roughly 30 km off from the coast and have an overall installed capacity of approximately 2 GW.

Advised Infranity, on behalf of its funds, on a circa €120m financing for the construction of a 178 MW portfolio of seven solar PV assets in Italy, owned by Peridot Solar Limited a portfolio company of FitzWalter Capital Limited.

Advised Photosol Développement, part of France's Photosol Group, on its acquisition of a 100 MW portfolio comprising ten photovoltaic and agrivoltaic projects in Italy's Lazio region from ib vogt GmbH.

Advised Amber Infrastructure Group, as exclusive investment advisor to Three Seas Initiative Investment Fund S.A. SICAV-RAIF, on the latter's €150m investment in Poland's R.Power S.A., which owns a portfolio of 17 solar PV projects in Italy, Spain and Germany.

EDUCATION

2005 – 2009 · Doctorado in European Private Law, Thesis on contractual allocation of project finance risks (in Spanish), University of Roma Tre, IT – Universidad de Zaragoza

2002 – 2003 · LL.M. in American Law – International Business Practice, Boston University School of Law

 $1996-2000\cdot$ Law Degree, Marks: 110/110 cum laude (GPA: 29.67/30), Thesis on WTO and the environment (in Italian), University of Bari

MEMBERSHIPS AND ASSOCIATIONS

Qualified as an Italian Lawyer

Qualified as a New York attorney

Qualified as a Solicitor in England and Wales

INSIGHTS

PRESS WFW ADVISES TERNA FORWARD ON INVESTMENT IN WESII

www.wfw.com/press/wfw-advises-terna-forward-on-investment-in-wesii/

PRESS WFW ADVISES PLC ON SALE OF SCHMACK MAJORITY STAKE TO HZI

www.wfw.com/press/wfw-advises-plc-on-sale-of-schmack-majority-stake-to-hzi/

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ARTICLE ADVANCED AGRIVOLTAICS: INCENTIVES FOR THE AGRIVOLTAIC SECTOR HAVE BEEN LAUNCHED

www.wfw.com/articles/advanced-agrivoltaics-incentives-for-the-agrivoltaic-sector-have-been-launched/

PRESS WFW ADVISES ENCAVIS ON ACQUISITION OF 30 MW ITALIAN SOLAR PROJECT

www.wfw.com/press/wfw-advises-encavis-on-acquisition-of-30-mw-italian-solar-project/

PRESS WFW ADVISES ENCAVIS ON SALE OF 93 MW EUROPEAN RENEWABLES PORTFOLIO

www.wfw.com/press/wfw-advises-encavis-on-sale-of-93-mw-european-renewables-portfolio/